In China illnesses like dementia, seizures, and insanity, arose from demonic possession.

 Psychiatrist categorize different forms of madness into hebephrenia, catatonia, and paranoia

 The earliest description of schizophrenia was recorded and described as “premature dementia”.

 The FDA approves Chlorapromaizine, the first antipsychotic drug.

 Swiss psychiatrist argues that mental illness is triggered by a psychosocial phenomenon instead of biology

 Swiss psychiatrist coined the term “schizophrenia meaning split mind

 1920’s icon, Zelba Fitzgerald is diagnosed with schizophrenia.

 One of the first studies of CT scans suggests a difference in the size of schizophrenic patients cerebral ventricles

 German psychiatrist distinguishes the core symptoms of schizophrenia.

 The FDA approves a new antipsychotic drug that is designed to have less side-effects.

 The DSM-III includes the five subtypes of the symptoms of schizophrenia.

 New research supports the argument that schizophrenia affects the whole body, not just the brain.

 Japanese psychiatrists change themeaning of the word to “integration disorder”. This reduces stigma of the disease.

 Mental illnesses could only be described as madness. It was believed to be cause by supernatural activity.

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